



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional):
31640-159397

In re Application of Pierre DUHOT et al.

Application Number 09/542,546 Filed April 3, 2000

For METHODS FOR PRODUCING BRANCHED FATTY ACIDS
USING GENETICALLY MODIFIED PLANTSGroup Art Unit
1638 Examiner
E.F. MCELWAIN

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	<u>\$120.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$_____

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$_____.

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 22-0261.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the applicant/inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

attorney or agent of record.

attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). _____.

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April 15, 2005

Date

Signature

Nancy J. Axelrod, Reg. No. 44,014

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